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CURTAINS—Chenille and Lace.
Well, it is a matter of the writer; you must be able to appreciate them, and hear the
price too; also how cheap you can buy them.
All of the above under value, and for less money than you
can buy the same quality elsewhere.

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Are You in Need of Any Furniture?

Are you going to get married and go to housekeeping? If
so you will surely need

FURNITURE.

It you have been keeping house and have struggled through
a weary day of house cleaning you surely have found
a look or corner in which you can place an odd piece of

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

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MONDAY EVE. MAY 22, 1893.

The city council meets one week from
tonight, which gives the fellow who is
too short for a policeman a chance to
grow.

Clara Sprengle, "My Commission"
Blount, Lillanhol and President
Cleveland are a quartet that the laboring
people might do well to keep an eye on.

President Cleveland probably made
the mistake of his life when he failed to
call Henry Villard and Clara Sprengle
to his cabinet, instead of the men they
recommended.

There will be no Fourth of July in
Hawaii because there can be no Fourth
of July where the American flag is not
allowed to float. Blount knows that
that is, for he has tried it before.

Some day we will know whether the
World's Fair will be open on Sunday
and some day we will know whether the
Democratic party will keep its promise
to relieve the people of tariff taxes.

GEORGE has thirty thousand acres of
watermelon land are being cultivated
and produced by negroes, while ex-Governor
Lillanhol is cultivating "My Commission"
Blount, who was produced by Georgia.

Since Clara Sprengle has spoken and
declared his opposition to the annexation
of Hawaii and Harrison's policy in
relation to it, what has become of the
Democratic papers that were charging
that President Harrison and Minister
Stevens were in league with the sugar
kings, of whom Sprengle was chief? Why
don't they speak out and let the people
know whether they were lying then or
whether Clara Sprengle is lying now?

It was very easy for a Democratic
paper to charge that a Republican Presi-
dent was in league with the sugar kings
of Hawaii in the matter of annexation,
but when it found, upon the statement
of one of the kings himself, that he op-
posed annexation because it would tend
to elevate labor on the islands, and Presi-
dent Harrison, on the interest of the
sugar kings, sit down on the policy of
Democratic parties, not one of these
papers has been able to attack the policy
that they should not Cleveland help the
sugar kings when he can do it at the
expense of the government, when they
contributed \$2,000 to help elect him
President.

The Bullheads of Bourbonism.
While the Republican papers are doing
all they can to reassure the country and
prevent a panic the present administra-
tion goes blundering along doing the very
things which tend to destroy public con-
fidence. While it is very clear that the
financial affairs of the country are in a
precarious condition, owing to a lack of
confidence in the new administration, so
as to handle the affairs of the country, so
as to maintain its property, which is being
capital and credit is largely with-
drawn from the avenues wherein they
have been used in building up and de-
veloping the country, thus causing many
manufacturers and other enterprises and
weak banks and many that were not weak
to go down. These changes have thrown
thousands of laborers out of employment
and other trouble on people. And yet
in face of these facts it has been said
out that the so-called "tariff" and the
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work to tear up the tariff, and that they
propose to do it without hearing what a
single manufacturer or laboring man has
to say about it. That is to say, a few
men who never run a factory in their
lives, and who know nothing about the
relation of workingmen to the prosperity
of the country are to be the arbiters
of the tariff.

When we look at this recklessness, it
seems to present a picture which repre-
sents the stupidity of bullheadedness and
makes one despair of accomplishing any
good in trying to prevent a serious revo-
lution in the prosperous affairs of this
country. And the worst is yet to come
that the President will not be able to
control the situation and that it will do one
of two things, either of which is ought to
do, namely, either pass a free silver bill,
or worse still, remove the 10 per cent
on state bank issues and inaugurate the
old wildcat banking system. It is very
disheartening that the country is afflicted
with a set of partisan leaders who seem
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Dr. Sage's Cat-
arrh Remedy.

The proprietors of this medicine
prove that by their offer.
It's \$500 cash for a case of
Catarrh which they can't cure.

Specimen Case
S. H. Clifford, New Cassell, Wis., was
troubled with Neuritis and Rheumatism
in his stomach, was disordered, his
appetite failed, and he was terribly
troubled in flesh and strength. These
troubles of electro-Bitters cured him.
Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had
a running nose on his leg of eight years
standing. Used three bottles of Electro-
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THE GERMAN EMPRESS has said to Fr.
C. von Lutz, Librarian at the Vatican,
through Herr Von Balow, the Prussian
minister to the Vatican, a costly ring
containing twenty-four diamonds and rubies,
imperial initial in brilliant and rubies.

A FAMOUS MEDICINE.
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has be-
come famous for its cure of throat and
lung diseases. It is intended especially
for coughs, colds, croup, and whooping
cough, and is the most effective remedy
known for these diseases. Mr. C. B.
Main, of Union City, Pa., says: "I have
a great deal to say for this remedy, and
I have never heard of one failing to give
entire satisfaction." 50 cent bottles
sold by W. F. Neider, Library Block
Druggist.

THE EMPRESS OF AUSTRIA is reported to
be the best royal housekeeper in Europe.
Everything in the Austrian palace is un-
der her personal care. She orders cooks,
butlers, waitresses, and is constantly
inventing something new in cookery.

HERE IS SOMETHING GOOD FOR YOUR
RHEUMATIC FRIENDS.
If any of your friends are troubled
with rheumatism have them read "The
Lynchburg, Va., April 18, 1893.
I desire to say that Chamberlain's Pain
Balm has cured one of our citizens of
rheumatism of two years' standing. One
bottle did the work. This gentleman,
Mr. R. H. Parnell, ticket agent of the
N. & W. R. R., now recommends it to
all his friends. F. C. Halbig, 50 cent
bottle for sale by W. F. Neider, Li-
brary Block Druggist.

MISS ELEANOR CALHOUN, grandchild of
John O. Calhoun, is making some stir as
address in Paris.

You have time to read, time to think
but not time to be idle. Read about De-
Witt's Little Early Bitters and you will
think it is better to take these little pills
than to suffer from indigestion or con-
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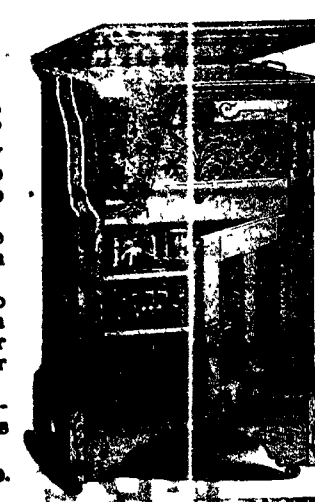
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This Sunday school convention was held yesterday afternoon, as announced. Three excellent addresses were made by S. L. Hill, A. E. Saxton, superintendent of the East Park chapel, also made some remarks. J. B. Gorin and W. A. Holman reported the State S. S. convention at Quincy. Next Sunday a convention will be held at Grace mission, corner North Broadway and Hickman streets.

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REV. JAMES MILLER ON THE FAIR.

He Declares in a Sermon That Sunday is Made for Man.

Rev. James Miller, formerly of Decatur, now pastor of one of the West Side Methodist churches in Chicago, spoke on boldly in his pulpit Sunday on the question of throwing open the World's Fair on Sundays. The Chicago Herald of to-day gives over two columns space to the sermon with this introduction:

That the few clergymen who, "in the name of the christian people of America," threaten to boycott the world's fair if the gates are thrown open on Sunday speak without authority is evidenced by the fact that such well-known and leading ministers as Dr. John H. Barrows, of the First Presbyterian church; Rev. O. P. Gifford, of Emmanuel Baptist church, and Rev. James Miller, of Marshall Avenue Methodist church, hold altogether different and broader views of the teachings of christianity's founder. The attempt to enforce the adoption of a set resolution denouncing the Chicago directors of the fair as anarchists, which caused such a stormy scene at the meeting of Methodist ministers last Monday, proved conclusively that the leaders of thought in that church are not narrow-minded bigots, but are conscientious believers in the doctrine that the Sabbath was made for man.

Believing the opening of the world's fair on Sunday to be the topic upon which the minds of the American people just now, Rev. James Miller preached a powerful sermon to his Methodist congregation at People's institute, Sunday morning, in which he rebuked the bigoted saboteurs in a fitting manner. His text was: "The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath." In his sermon he said:

I shall the mine and farm suspend on Sunday? Shall the great manufacturing and the great and small distributing agencies of the land defer to the authority of the Sabbath? Shall finance cease its movement and seek to investigate the conscience at the altar of God? Shall the railroad and steamship be hushed in the stillness of death because the Sabbath is the day of rest? Shall the devotion of men or direct the mind from intense concentration upon religion? Shall the street railway be suspended and the public places of recreation be closed? Shall the church may claim and receive the suffrages of men? Shall the world's fair be closed that so great an international emblem and concentration of the best results of world-wide genius, robed in the splendid robes of art and science, may disturb the devotion of a handful of medieval saints and give the use of the Sabbath to the world instead of the church?

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PERSONAL MENTION.

David Lloyd is in Chicago on business.

Howard Williams is in Hammond today.

Mrs. J. M. Marks is in Chicago on business.

Attorney John McCoy spent Sunday in Oakley.

A. D. Holland is in Tuscola to-day on business.

William Ellis is in Moweaqua to-day on business.

W. W. Fenton has returned from the World's Fair.

Mrs. Smith Crowder is in Bethany visiting relatives.

Mrs. G. E. Woolington is in Monticello visiting relatives.

Attorney James Hinkle, of Monticello, is in the city to-day.

Attorney Harry Crea, of Monticello, was in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Starr are visiting relatives in Effingham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nesbit spent Sunday in Mechanicville.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carter will leave tonight for Chicago to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell spent Sunday with relatives in Monticello.

Rev. W. O. Leary dedicated the First Methodist church at Cadwell yesterday.

George Matthews has returned from Dayton and will visit in Decatur several months.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Judson left to-day for Chicago to take in the World's Fair sights.

E. R. Frazier, of the Decatur Leader Manufacturing Co., is in Dalton to-day on business.

Peter Haley and son left last night for Chicago, where they will attend the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ehrhart returned to-day from a visit with relatives at Effingham.

J. T. Turner is seriously ill at his home on West Eldorado street, down with an attack of vertigo.

George Hand, of Bay City, Mich., is in the city visiting his wife, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kramer.

Fred Adams has accepted a position in the factory of the H. Mueller Manufacturing company on East Main street.

Miss Hattie Wilson, who has been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dawson, left to-day for her home in Lafayette.

Secretary Nagley, of the Edna Mining company, returned from Clinton to-day and can be found with his own specimens and stock papers at the Harvancian.

Herman Wallace, of Chisman, a barber well known here, has accepted a chair at A. T. Gray's Opera House, Tuscola, Ill.

It has been necessary for Mr. Gray to increase his force and he is now running six chairs in order to meet the demands of his trade.

That Relay Ride.

In Saturday's issue of the REPUBLICAN the particulars of a relay bicycle ride from Springfield, Ill., to Indianapolis, Ind., were printed.

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